

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant(s) : Nicholas Gerald GREY
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Examiner : Randall E. CHIN
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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.121

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 28, 2006, this Amendment and Response is submitted. A two month extension of time has been petitioned by separate paper. However, a formal request for any extension and payment of fees is also made below in the event the petition is misplaced or additional fees would be necessary. Please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification - None

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in a listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings - None.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.